



Pacific Health Advantage (The Health Insurance Plan of California) In addition to the above three programs, the Board established, in 1993, the State of California's Health Insurance Plan of California (The HIPC). The HIPC is the nation's pre-eminent small employer purchasing pool. The HIPC was successfully managed by the Board until July 1, 1999, when the Board transferred management , on behalf of the State, to a nonprofit agency, the Pacific Business Group on Health. The HIPC now has a new name, Pacific Health Advantage (PacAdvantage). Through PacAdvantage, small businesses can get affordable health, dental, and vision coverage by buying insurance together as one big group. This gives small employers (with 2-50 employees) real purchasing clout, and gives their employees a broad choice of health, dental and vision plans. To find out more about PacAdvantage, click on the logo below, or call toll free 1-877-4-PAC-ADV (1-877-472-2238).

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